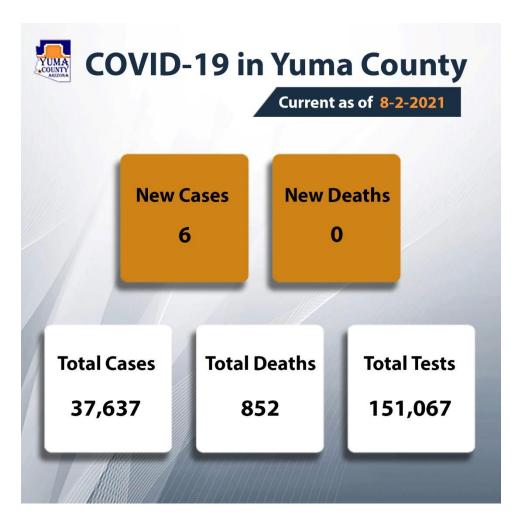


## **Yuma County COVID-19 DAILY UPDATE**

3:00 PM, MONDAY, AUGUST 2, 2021



Yuma County Health Officials confirm 6 new cases of COVID-19 and 0 new deaths, bringing the total cases to 37,637 and total deaths to 852. Health officials are conducting contact investigations.

## **WEEKEND NUMBERS:**

Saturday, July 31 - 72 new cases, 0 deaths Sunday, August 1 - 29 new cases, 0 deaths

COVID-19 cases are increasing in our community. Vaccination is the best way to protect yourself, your family, and your community. Vaccines are effective in preventing severe illness, hospitalization, and death; they also helps reduce the spread of the virus in our community. Data shows that the Delta variant currently circulating in our community is much more contagious, and spreads more than twice as easily from one person to another compared to earlier strains.

The Health District will continue to provide **COVID-19 vaccine clinics** Monday through

Thursday from 8:30 am to 11:30 am throughout the month of August. **Walk-ins are welcome**. Only Pfizer and Moderna vaccines will be available.

The Moderna vaccine currently can be given to anyone age 18 and over. More information can be found on the CDC's website.

The Pfizer vaccine currently can be given to anyone age 12 and over. More information can be found on the CDC's website

The Yuma County Public Health Services District will continue to host **Back to School** vaccination clinics next week August 2-4, from 8:30 am to 11:30 am. **An appointment MUST BE MADE** by calling 928-317-4550 or 928-317-4687. There is NO ONLINE registration for these clinics.

For more information about what you will need to bring with you to your appointment, please visit the <u>Health District's Immunization Program</u> page or call (928) 317-4550.

The Health District will resume providing **COVID-19 Rapid Testing** for school personnel and allied health professionals by appointment only. Testing will resume August 16<sup>th</sup> from 8:30 to 11:00 am Monday through Friday. **Please call 317-4540 to schedule an appointment.** 

Testing is available at many locations in Yuma County, click here for details.

Please visit the <u>Arizona Department of Health Services – Vaccine Finder</u> for the most up-to-date information on where vaccine is currently available. The website is updated frequently.

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